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Docket No. 6216-7



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of )  
 Peter DORMER )  
 Serial No. 08/973,303 ) Art Unit: 1642  
 Filed: November 28, 1997 ) Examiner: N. Johnson  
 For: PROTEIN WITH )  
 DIFFERENTIATION- )  
 INDUCING ACTIVITY FOR )  
 FRIEND'S )  
 ERYTHROLEUKEMIA CELL )  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is requested that the time to take action in the above matter be extended for the time period indicated below:

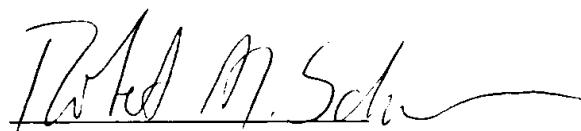
	Time Requested	Small Entity/ Large Entity	Fee
	1 Month	\$55.00/\$110.00	
	2 Months	\$190.00/\$380.00	
X	3 Months	\$435.00/\$870.00	\$870.00
	4 Months	\$680.00/\$1,360.00	

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- [X] The above-noted fee is [X] attached, [ ] to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-2380, under the above order number.
- [X] Document(s) Attached:
  - [ ] Response, [X] Notice of Appeal, [ ] Brief,
  - [ ] Other (identify).
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be further required in this application, except the issue fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380, under the above order number.  
A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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